

A-CAM Plan Funding



ITTA URGES THE FCC TO FUND THE A-CAM MODEL AT \$200 PER LOCATION

- A-CAM Plan has been a resounding success
 - 262 companies elected model-based funding
 - For the first time, RoR companies made firm commitments to deploy broadband to a specific number of rural locations
- Speeds and broadband availability will increase substantially with additional funding
 - 70,000 additional underserved or unserved locations will receive 10/1 Mbps or better service
 - All commenters support funding at \$200/location for A-CAM recipients

ADDITIONAL FUNDING WILL GREATLY BENEFIT ITTA MEMBERS' CUSTOMERS

- ITTA companies in 25 states opted for the A-CAM plan
- ITTA companies represent almost 30% of A-CAM support and almost 40% of locations committed to 25/3 mbps
- With funding at \$200/location, ITTA members would achieve the following buildout increases:
 - 25/3 Mbps 9,250 locations
 - 10/1 Mbps 6,400 locations
- Meanwhile, ITTA members' underserved and reasonable request customers will decline by one half

FUNDING TO \$200 PER LOCATION WILL ACHIEVE OTHER BENEFITS

- Actual deployment will lead collaterally to increased speeds for underserved locations and other locations passed in the course of build-out
- A-CAM recipients are already deploying and the funding is an opportunity to stimulate additional infrastructure deployment with no “red tape”
- Additional A-CAM deployment will help achieve other universal service goals, such as increased broadband access for low-income consumers